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The American Numismatic and Archaeological Society of New York.

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CIRCULAR TO MEMBERS.

THE Society desiring to collect and preserve materials in order to enable the Historiographer to prepare and read before it, upon the demise of any member, a memorial of his life, these queries are forwarded to you with the earnest request that they may be answered *in extenso*, and returned without delay.

QUESTIONS.

1. What is your full name? *Answer.*

*Augustus George Heaton*

2. What were the names of your parents? *A.*

*Augustus Heaton  
Rosabella Cream*

3. What were the names of your grandparents? *A.*

*John Heaton jr                      John Cream  
Elizabeth Goodyear              Margaret McGlatthey*

4. When and where were you born? *A.*

*April 28th 1844 in Phila. Pa*

5. If you are married, give the maiden name of your wife, and her residence, the names of her parents, the date of your marriage, and the place where you were married? *A.*

*Adelaide Whiting Griswold                      415-Fifth Ave  
Almon W. Griswold                      Dec. 23rd 1874 at residence above.  
Adelaide Perry*

6. If you have had any children, give their names in the order of their birth. *A.*

<i>entered Yale 1874</i>	<i>Augustus Heaton jr</i>	<i>Nov 1. 1875</i>
<i>" " "</i>	<i>Harry Heaton</i>	<i>Nov 11. 1877</i>
	<i>Perry Heaton</i>	<i>Oct 6th 1884</i>

7. If any member of your family is deceased, give the name and date of death. A.

*None of my children*  
*My wife is also living but of ancestors only*  
*her mother and my father survive. (1895)*

8. State where you were brought up and educated. A.

*Phila. Pa*

9. If you were graduated by any college, give the name and class. A.

*Studied painting in l Ecole des Beaux Arts, Paris*  
*under Cabanel, Afterwards under Bonnat.*

10. State what <sup>honors</sup> degrees, if any, have been conferred, and by whom. A.

*The U.S. Govt in DC purchased my painting "The Recall of Columbus"*  
*for the Capital where it has since hung, Congress by special vote*  
*sent it to the Chicago Fair and the P.O Dept engraved it on the*  
*50¢ Columbian Stamp.*

11. State your occupation; and if you are a member of any of the learned professions. A.

*Figure Painter*  
*Historical and portrait.*

12. If you have held any public office, either Municipal, State or Federal, state what, when, and for how long. A.

*The features of my coin collection are*  
*Every date and mint of \$3. and \$1. gold pieces except \$1. 1870.S.*  
*Phila Mint silver complete except dollars 38.39.57.52. Quarters 23.27*  
*and 1/2 Dime 1802. Branch Mints silver complete except dollar 73.S.*  
*Minor sets complete including 45 var. of 94 cents. Very many varieties*  
*and whole collection in very high condition.*

13. If you have been connected with any corporations, or other societies, state in what manner. A.

*Pres. Amer. Numismatic Assn. 94-5.*  
*1894-5 Vice Pres. Wash. Soc. of Artists; Life Mem. Pa. Hist. Soc.;*  
*Mem. Nat. Geog. Soc.; Associate Penn Acad. of Fine Arts.*  
*Art Club. Phila; Va Hist. Soc.; Wash. Literary Soc. (Sec. 90)*  
*Cosmos Club. Wash. Union League Phila. Metropolitan Club*

14. If you have written any book, pamphlet or article which has been printed, state when and where published, and give titles in full, and please furnish copies to the Library of the Society. A.

*A Treatise on the Coinage of the United States*  
*Branch Mints. (Mint Marks) Washington. 1893*  
*Memories of Italy. Phila. 1882*

*Member Stanley Club. Paris.*  
*Sec. "Rambles"*  
*" Penn & Pencil Club*



15. If any biographical sketch of you or history of your family has been printed, please refer to it? A.

myself - Nat Cyclopaedia of Amer. Biography. Vol 5. P. 315.  
my father Biographical Encyclopedia of Pennsylvania. Page 96

16. Give in detail any incidents which have gone to make up the history of your life; acquaintance with distinguished men, etc.; in fact, everything that should be presented in a memorial of your life. A.

Also know well  
Justice Field, Gov. Hoar  
Admiral Walker, etc.  
and many celebrities here.

The Nat Cyclopaedia above referred to answers this question in part but will add that I have been entertained by John Welles Minister to London, Minister Morton in Paris, Minister Gould in Rome, Minister Fairchild in Madrid, have painted portraits from life of Senator Sherman, Bayard, Morrill, Gibson (La) Hoar, Butler, Carlisle, etc. have been entertained at supper by Longfellow; met genially Holmes, Lowell, Whitman, Stedman, Pres. Hayes, know nearly all prominent Amer. painters etc etc etc

17. If any of your ancestors or descendants have held important positions of honor or trust, please give details. A.

My father is (1875) one of the oldest Directors of the Phila Bank, and of the Phila. Trust Co. an original member of Union League, Phila. and was long a director of Girard College, Phila.

18. If you can give the name of the first ancestor of the family in this country, please do so. A.

1 — Heaton x Elizabeth supposed of original Theophilus Eaton colony of 1639

2 James Heaton "gent" born Nov 20 1662 married Sarah Street daughter Rev Nich. Street  
1633 probably in England, took oath of fidelity Apr 4, 1654. d. Oct 16, 1712. pastor 1st Church New Haven

NOTE.—Please also send to the Society, for its Album, a photographic likeness of yourself, with your autograph beneath it, if you have not already done so; and donations of anything you may have written will be particularly acceptable, as well as contributions germane to its Library and Cabinets.

3 Seth Heaton "gent" b. Mar 25, 1676 X Hannah Todd  
d. Apr 8, 1739

HISTORIOGRAPHER,

4 James Heaton Jr.

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Room 25, N. Y. University Building, Washington Square, New York City.

Capt. in Colonial army  
b. Apr 3, 1722. d. Oct 10, 1776. X Sarah Bassett

5. John Heaton

b. Sept 13, 1755 X Lois Ray  
d. " 17, 1828

ACADEMY OF MEDICINE BUILDING  
17 WEST 43rd STREET

6 John Heaton Jr. X Eliz. Goodyear.

